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Hon. Commissioner of Patents
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PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.136(a), petition is made for a three (3) month extension of time to file a Response to an Official Action which was due January 3, 2002, the Response now being due April 3, 2002. Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$920.00 for the extension fee. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any further extension and/or fee that is required to Deposit Order Account 19-0079.

Respectfully submitted,

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